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HOLT DECRIES 'BACK-DOWN'

Candidate 'Shocked'
 At Ike's Behavior

Congressional candidate Con-
 nector T. Holt stated today he was
 "not surprised" at Premier
 Khrushchev's actions at the
 summit meeting but that he
 "certainly was surprised, shock-
 ed and disappointed at the Pres-
 ident of the United States for
 backing down in the face of
 such an attack."

Mr. Holt, a past national
 commander of the Veterans of
 Foreign Wars, said:

"The sooner we learn we can-
 not do business with Russia, the
 better off we will be. Russia's
 trail of broken promises and
 agreements should be lesson
 enough of this fact."

The candidate for Rep. J. B.
 Frazier's Third District con-
 gressional seat, said:

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"Our foreign policy has been,
 and is, woefully lacking to
 combat such tactics on the part
 of the Russian leaders. It is
 high time that Congress,
 through the elected representa-
 tives of the people, take action."

"Much has been made of this
 spying incident involving an
 American airplane supposedly
 shot down over Russia. Mr. K.
 has won a propaganda victory
 in his bragging of the matter
 and in our totally inadequate
 replies and reaction."

"However, this nation must
 nothing to apologize for in the
 incident. Russian spies romp
 freely about the United States.
 I am convinced that the Rus-
 sian embassy in this nation,
 as a part of their official du-
 ties, clear the information from
 spies."

"My opinion is that we not
 only should continue our spying
 activities, but we should step it
 up on a global scale. For only
 in this manner can we know
 what Russia is doing. I cer-
 tainly would not support, or
 work for appropriations for our
 Central Intelligence Agency if
 part of it were not for spying
 purposes."

'MORTAL COMBAT'

"We are not playing a game
 in which the participants live by
 the rules of good sportsman-
 ship. We are engaged in mor-
 tal combat in which the very
 existence of the free world may
 be at stake."

"This nation cannot afford to
 pass up any opportunity to
 learn what Russia is doing. No
 thinking American would deny
 Russia is doing the same thing
 on our very shores."

"I love peace as much as any
 man. But I certainly am not
 one who believes in peace at
 any price. There are things
 worse than war, to my mind,
 and one of those would be en-
 slavement to a nation such as
 Russia. The time may come
 when we will have to fight Rus-
 sia. But we must today fight
 Russia with whatever weapons
 may be in our hands. If it is
 spies, then spies it must be."

"Never before in the history
 of this nation do we need young,
 vital leadership in Congress.
 When I am elected in August
 and again in November, I in-
 tend to provide that type of
 aggressive and forward looking
 leadership this district deserves
 to have in the halls of Con-
 gress."

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